

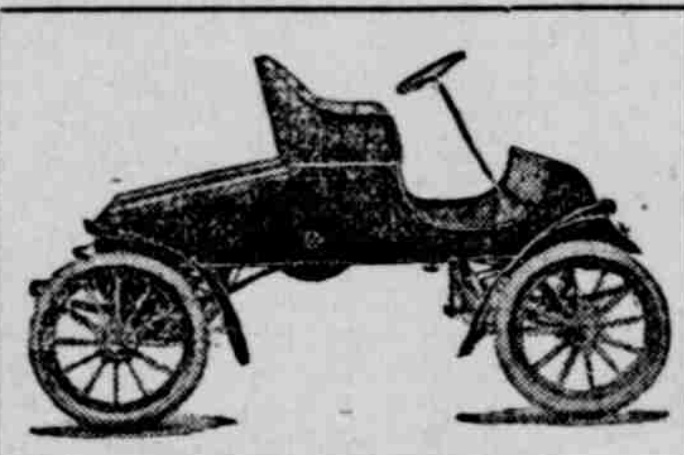


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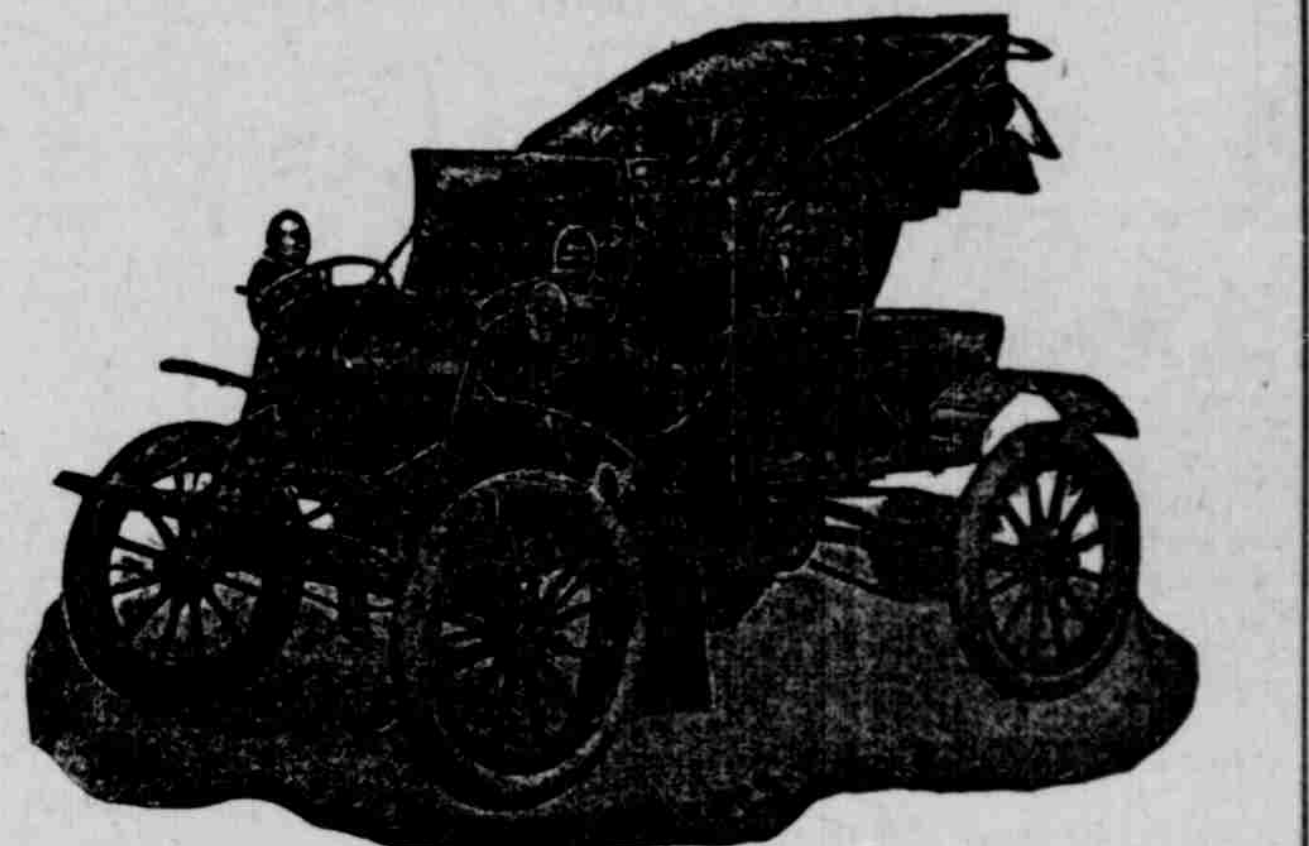


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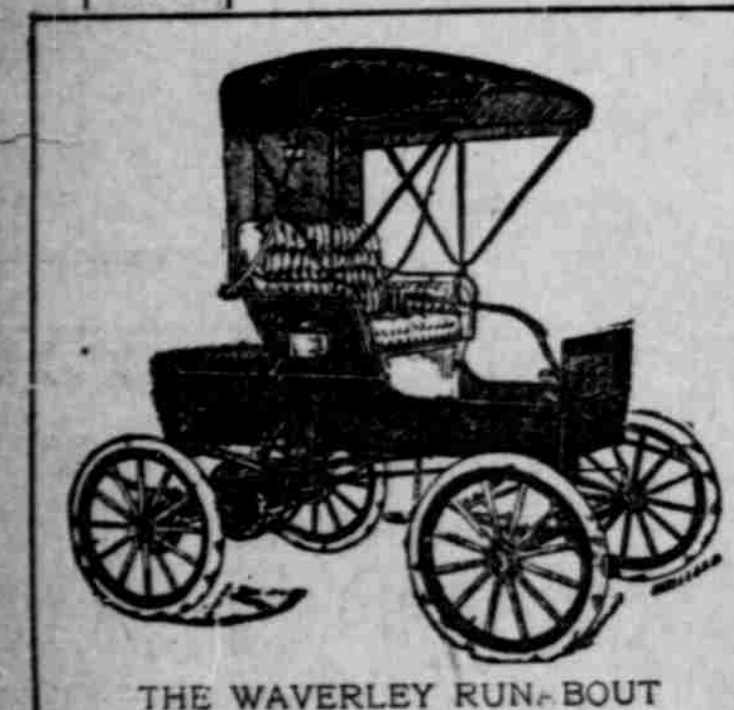
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### REPORT ON GUARD CAMP

COL. JOHN T. BARNETT GIVES PRAISE WHERE PRAISE IS DUE.

Discerning Officer is Equally Severe When Carelessness and Slovenliness is Noted—Recommendations.

Assistant Adj. Gen. John T. Barnett has made his report on the last encampment of the I. N. G. In the report he states that this year's camp was satisfactory on the whole and that all things considered it was the most successful camp in the history of the I. N. G. He stated that the average attendance was 81 per cent, and that there was a disposition on the part of the officers and men to learn. The artillery, considered as an organization, he states, was superior to the others in camp. The First Regiment was commended for the appearance of its quarters, the Third Regiment was too slow in mounting guard on its arrival in camp and there is a lack of uniformity in this regiment that prevents it from making the showing it ought. The Second Regiment is given credit for its good extended order work. "This is a good regiment in general and has a good colonel and adjutant and the general appearance of the regiment is good," he says.

Company C, of the First Regiment is given special mention as having made more practice marches than any other infantry company and Battery C is rated highly. Companies C, of the First; M, of the second; K, of the Third, and Battery X, of the artillery are criticised for not holding councils of administration during the year.

It was stated that about 400 newly enlisted men were in camp this year and it has been a good thing for the new men, who could learn more in camp than in a whole year at their home station. The work of the hospital corps is commended. None of the companies have been keeping a State fund book, as required by the regulations, according to the report.

DELAY IS CRITICISED.

The delay in forwarding the semi-annual pay and army rent is criticised for the reason that it punishes good and careful men for the dereliction of the improvident and causes great dissatisfaction. According to the report many tents were found unserviceable, and the guns in all of the organizations were in from fair to bad condition. It was recommended that the various companies make as many practice marches as possible during the coming year.

The ratings were of good quality, the report says, but they were a little short. This was due to wastefulness and to the fact that the men will eat more the first few days of the camp. Less knowledge was shown in the companies about ration and feeding the men than any other duty. The quartermaster sergeants were utterly ignorant as to the amount of the ration or whether the companies received their full portion, except a few who have received United States army experience. When these were issued, they were turned over to the company cooks to use pretty much as they pleased. If anyone in the company gave any attention to the daily apportioning of the rations it was not in evidence. That the ignorant and slipshod methods prevailing did not produce serious complaint and disturbance was due to the good cooks and an excellent chief commissary. The efficiency and contentment of the soldier depends too much on obtaining full rations and its proper distribution to permit the present ignorance long-er to continue. It was recommended that the commissary department be improved.

In referring to gallery and target practice it was stated that only nine companies in the whole brigade report any gallery practice. Target practice is the most important branch of the service. A man must have confidence in his ability to kill or he will run away from the enemy. It is recommended

### GERMANS WILL CELEBRATE

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Forty-five of the Local Societies Will Turn Out in Parade—The Day's Arrangements.

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### PRIZES FOR FINE POULTRY.

Biggest Show in Years Will Be Given at State Fair.

The American Poultry Association will hold its annual meeting at the state fair grounds on Sept. 15, and during that week, according to the statement of Secretary Charles Downing, one of the most important poultry shows in the West will be given.

The fair management has devoted one of the largest buildings on the grounds to the show of poultry, and for the last five years the number of fancy chickens exhibited has taxed the capacity of the building. The premium list has been so arranged that about every Indiana poultry raiser can find a class in which to show his chickens, and from the way entries are arriving the competition will be keen. Two hundred premiums are offered in this department by the State Board of Agriculture amounting to a total of \$1,800.

The prizes are to be awarded to the best raisers of Mediterranean, Polish, Hamburg, Houdan, Dorking, Asiatic, game cocks and pigeons. Sid Conger, of Shelbyville, a member of the board, will have charge of the show. The judges will begin making awards on the second day of the fair, and the number of chickens will probably be so large that it will be late in the week before all the ribbons are tied on the coops of the successful prize winners.

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### PARTICIPATING SOCIETIES.

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Knights of St. George, commanded by Captain Carl Gardner.

Independent Turn Verein, commanded by Instructor Oscar Ruther.

South Side Turn Verein, commanded by Instructor Curt Toll.

Company A, Pythian Guards, commanded by Captain J. R. Forbes.

German Protestant Orphans' Association, commanded by Carl Freund, and accompanied by the executive committee, consisting of F. Franke, Joseph Keller, J. W. Loeper, J. Behringer, Henry Haben and Henry Victor.

Alpha Benevolent Society, commanded by Fred Huckleide.

Brewers' Benevolent Society, commanded by Albert Kempe.

Baden Benevolent Society, commanded by Frank Woerner.

Bakers' Society, commanded by Jacob Klein.

Havarian Society, commanded by John Geiger.

German-American Veterans, commanded by Charles J. Schmidt.

German Protestant Orphans' Association, commanded by Joseph H. Schaub.

German Gardeners' Association, commanded by Jacob Goepfer.

German Butchers' Society, commanded by Henry Kahl.

Germania Park Association, commanded by Mike Dierlich.

Hungarian Singing Society, commanded by Herman Brandt.

Home Benevolent Society, commanded by Charles Musing.

Indianapolis Maennerchor, commanded by Julius Burkhardt.

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### ELECT OFFICERS TO-DAY

GARMENT WORKERS WILL THEN END THEIR CONVENTION.

St. Louis Union, Expelled for Insubordination, Was Reinstated—Matters of Routine.

The Garment Workers' convention probably will adjourn this morning. About all the business of the convention has been transacted, and aside from the election of officers there are only two or three questions of importance to come up this morning. It was hoped to close the convention yesterday, and an evening session was held in the courthouse with that in view, but it was found to be impossible, and consequently the closing session will be held this morning in the Claypool Hotel.

The question around which the greatest interest centers now is the election of officers. There is little doubt in the minds of most of the delegates that, with one exception, the executive board will be re-elected. In the case of the treasurer, which position is now held by A. J. Bromley, of New York, it is thought that Henry Waxman, of New York city, has the best show and will succeed Bromley. The question of deciding upon the place of the next convention will also arise this morning, as will a question of representation according to membership.

The convention had a hard day yesterday and dealt with a great amount of business. In the afternoon there was a heated discussion that came almost to a clash over Local 67, of St. Louis, which was expelled from the union almost three months ago for insubordination. A resolution was finally carried which reinstated the local and seated the delegates pending an investigation by the general executive board.

The label, which was withdrawn from Simon J. Cohen, of Paterson, N. J., for breaking union agreements, was re-granted on complying with union conditions.

The report of the finance committee on the auditing of the books took up much time and was much complimented on its accuracy. It had examined over four thousand bills, ranging from 4 cents to \$6,000, without finding a mistake. The proposition to increase the per capita tax 15 cents was brought up again yesterday at both afternoon and evening sessions, but was defeated both times.

The business last night was largely the report of the grievance committee relative to the Chicago unions, among which there is much friction. The session adjourned at 11 o'clock.

### DEATH OF AN OLD GARDENER.

Abraham F. Groff Passes Away at the Age of Seventy-Two.

Abraham F. Groff, a gardener, who has been a resident of Wayne township since 1865, died yesterday at his home, 3315 West Tenth street. He was seventy-two years old and was born March 7, 1831. He came from Pennsylvania with his parents in 1855 and lived here ever since. He accumulated a good deal of property. He left a widow and five children.

His funeral will be held Tuesday at 2 o'clock, and burial will be at Crown Hill. Friends are invited.

### Condition of the Jails.

Secretary Butler, of the State Board of Charities, left last night for Michigan City to attend a meeting of the Prison Reform Board, which will be held to-morrow. One of the important questions for discussion at the meeting is the condition of some of the county jails of the State. Warden Reid, president of the board, at the request of the Governor has been making a rigid examination of the county jails and will report his result to the board to-morrow.

Secretary Butler said that the conditions of some of the jails were very bad, especially in the counties of Floyd and Delaware.

### City Secures an Option.

Mayor Bookwalter announced yesterday that the city has taken an option on a site for a new pesthouse. The location of the site will not be made public until the city has purchased the land. The old pesthouse buildings near the City Hospital have not been torn down yet.

### Will Hold Big Family Reunion.

A reunion of the family of David Stoops, of Connersville, will be held in that place the last Thursday and Friday in September. Over 500 relatives are living and the town hall will be used to entertain the guests. Dinner will be served both days

### MUST MIND P'S AND Q'S.

Indiana Soldiers Must Drill Well If They Want to Take a Trip.

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